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INFO AMEMBASSY DAKAR

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SUBJ: LIBERIA OFFERS TO MEDIATE ERITREAN DISPUTE

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1. BEGIN UNCLASSIFIED. A SIX-MAN LIBERIAN DELEGATION HEADED BY FOREIGN MINISTER CECIL DENNIS ARRIVED IN ADDIS ABABA MARCH 2. ON MARCH 3, DENNIS PRESENTED PMAC CHAIRMAN BG TEFERI BANTI WITH A SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM LIBERIAN PRESIDENT TOLBERT AND HELD TALKS ON BILATERAL RELATIONS. ACCORDING TO ETHIOPIAN MEDIA, THE DELEGATION WILL CONTINUE TO KENYA, SENEGAL, ZAIRE AND CAMEROON ON A "SIMILAR MISSION." END UNCLASSIFIED.

2. BEGIN LIMITED OFFICIAL USE. DENNIS TOLD PAO THAT LIBERIA WAS VERY WORRIED ABOUT THE ERITREAN SITUATION. PRESIDENT TOLBERT'S MESSAGE, HE SAID, HAD PRINCIPALLY BEEN AN OFFER TO HELP MEDIATE
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THE ERITREAN DISPUTE. MESSAGE ALSO CONTAINED, HOWEVER, EXPLANATION

OF LIBERIA'S SOUTHERN AFRICA POSITION AND GENESIS OF VORSTER'S
VISIT TO LIBERIA.

3. COMMENT: WOULD WELCOME ANY ADDITIONAL INFO WHICH EMBASSY
MONROVIA MAY BE ABLE ELICIT ON RESULTS DENNIS'S CONVERSATIONS HERE.
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